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2. Forms PTO-1449 and copies of cited references AQ and BK-BM; and
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This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted:

- ☐ under 37 CFR 1.129(a), or
(First/Second submission after Final Rejection)
- ☒ under 37 CFR 1.97(b), or
(Within three months of filing national application other than a CPA under §1.53(d); or within three months of date of entry of the national stage in international application; or before mailing date of first Office Action on the merits; or before mailing date of first Office Action after filing RCE under §1.114, whichever occurs last)
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- ☐ a Statement under 37 CFR 1.97(e), as checked below, or
- ☐ the \$180.00 fee under 37 CFR 1.17(p), or
(After the 37 CFR 1.97(b) time period, but before final action or notice of allowance, or other action which closes prosecution, whichever occurs first)
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Concise Explanation Requirement (non-English references):

- ☐ The "concise explanation" requirement under 36 CFR 1.98(a)(3)(i) for references BL & BM are satisfied by:
- ☐ the explanation provided on the attached sheet.
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It is requested the information disclosed herein be made of record in this application.


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